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Dear Ralph:

On behalf of the students in our Mid Career Course #101, I would like to express our sincere appreciation for our visit and tour of Hughes facilities on 8 June. During informal discussions with the students they were impressed both by your presentation and discussions and particularly with the tour of high bay facility. Most had never seen a satellite before!

We would also like to thank Vicky Corsaro for taking care of all the arrangements for our visit. After a long flight out and the time change, the cookies and soft drinks were particularly welcome.

We gained a valuable perspective on how a high tech corporation is managed as well as an understanding of how technology is being applied in the workplace. Most of the members of the class were able to visit the Spruce Goose later in the week and see firsthand some of the developments which you mentioned during your presentation. (As an aside, I plan to do a similar historical presentation on some of the early accomplishments of the Agency.)

Again we thank you and Vicky for the wonderful visit. We gained a lot and I hope you found the dialogue interesting as well.

		Best regards	
		Course Director	
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